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Hello, Avelo!

**Avelo Airlines Announces Exclusive Nonstop Service
To North Carolina's Research Triangle From Memphis**

Introductory one-way fares to Raleigh-Durham start at \$39

MEMPHIS, Tenn.; March 15, 2023 — Avelo Airlines today announced Memphis, Tennessee as the newest city in its network with exclusive nonstop service to North Carolina's Research Triangle. With today's announcement of new nonstop service to Raleigh-Durham International Airport (RDU), Avelo introduces a new era of affordable, convenient and reliable air travel for Memphis and the tri-state region spanning Tennessee, Arkansas and Mississippi.

When service begins in June, Avelo will be the only airline offering nonstop service to Raleigh-Durham. Avelo will begin service at MEM on June 14 and operate this route to RDU twice weekly on Mondays and Fridays utilizing Boeing Next-Generation 737s.

Introductory one-way fares between Memphis International Airport (MEM) and RDU start at \$39*. Customers can make reservations at [AveloAir.com](https://www.aveloair.com).

Avelo Airlines Chairman and CEO Andrew Levy said, "Memphis – say hello to Avelo! We are excited to take off with Memphis and bring Avelo to the Home of Blues, Soul and Rock 'n' Roll. Getting to The Research Triangle is now more affordable and easier than ever. Avelo's combination of everyday low fares, industry-leading reliability and caring service – coupled with MEM's travel-friendly convenience - will inspire people from across the region to enjoy everything the Raleigh-Durham area has to offer."

Chairman of the Memphis-Shelby County Airport Authority Board Michael Keeney said, "The arrival of Avelo Airlines at MEM provides our passengers with another low-fare travel option and restores service to one of our top unserved destinations. We are grateful to Avelo for entering the Memphis market and expect that our passengers will embrace this opportunity to connect to RDU."

MEM offers a refreshingly fast, smooth and welcoming hometown airport experience. The new, modernized concourse features many new amenities enhancing the Customer experience. The airport's adjacency to multiple major highways and interstates makes it the most convenient and travel-friendly airport in the area, supporting three surrounding states.

Raleigh-Durham (RDU) – Nonstop Access to The Research Triangle

The Triangle Region offers the widest range of activities and attractions in North Carolina. This region boasts award-winning inns, hotels and spas, culinary delights for every taste, and cultural experiences including university gardens and art and history museums. A trip to this blossoming Southern metropolis leaves visitors enriched and energized the instant they're welcomed by its smart, savvy locals.

America's Affordable and Convenient Airline

Avelo was founded with a vision to help its Customers save money and time. Since taking flight on April 28, 2021, Avelo has flown nearly two million Customers on more than 15,000 flights.

In addition to offering Customers everyday low fares on every route, Avelo Customers can always change or cancel their itineraries with no extra fees. Avelo also offers several unbundled travel-enhancing options that give Customers the flexibility to pay for what they value, including priority boarding, checked bags, carry-on overhead bags, and bringing a pet in the cabin.

Additionally, the American-made Boeing 737 jets Avelo flies offer a more spacious and comfortable experience than the small regional aircraft currently operating at most of the airports Avelo serves. Customers who value an advance seat assignment can choose from several modestly priced seating options, including seats with extra leg room, as well as pre-reserved window and aisle seating. One third of seats on Avelo aircraft are available for Customers who appreciate the comfort of extra legroom.

Avelo serves 40 destinations across the U.S. The airline has unlocked a new era of convenience, choice and competition in air travel by flying unserved routes to primarily underserved communities across the country. At least one airport on every Avelo flight is a small hometown airport – making every Avelo journey easier and more enjoyable.

At Avelo, every flight is also nonstop. This connection-free travel experience not only provides Avelo Customers with a faster and simpler travel experience, but also minimizes delays, cancellations and lost bags. In fact, Avelo has established itself as one of America's most reliable airlines with industry-leading on time, completion factor and checked bag handling performance.

Avelo is distinguished by its Soul of Service culture. The culture is grounded in Avelo's One Crew Value which promotes a welcoming and caring experience. By caring for one another and owning their commitments, Avelo Crewmembers focus on anticipating and understanding Customer needs on the ground and in the air.

About Avelo Airlines

Avelo Airlines was founded with a simple purpose — to *Inspire Travel*. The airline offers Customers time and money-saving convenience, low everyday fares, and a refreshingly smooth and caring experience through its Soul of Service culture. Operating a fleet of Boeing Next-Generation 737 aircraft, Avelo serves 40 popular destinations across the U.S., including its five bases at Los Angeles' Hollywood Burbank Airport (BUR), Southern Connecticut's Tweed-New Haven Airport (HVN), Orlando International Airport (MCO), the Delaware Valley's Wilmington Airport (ILG) and Raleigh-Durham International Airport (RDU). For more information visit AveloAir.com or the Avelo Newsroom at AveloAir.com/Newsroom.

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*Very low, one-way fares include government taxes and fees. Fares start at \$39 between MEM and RDU for travel completed by September 6, 2023. Fares must be booked by March 28, 2023. Fares are available on a limited number of flights and seats. Additional fees for carry-on and checked bags, assigned seats and other optional services may apply. A \$20 charge per seated traveler applies to all bookings or changes made through Avelo's Customer Support Center. For full terms and conditions, please see Avelo's [Contract of Carriage](#).